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U.S. Patent

- 1. U.S. Patent No. 5,353,425
- 2. U.S. Patent No. 6,470,425

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Foreign Documents

- 2. JP 57015274
- 3. JP 2066654
- 4. EP 0 687 979 A1

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